

110TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 5454

To amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a presumption of service connection of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis for purposes of the laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 14, 2008

Mr. BROWN of South Carolina (for himself and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. PRESUMPTION OF SERVICE CONNECTION FOR**
4 **AMYOTROPHIC LATERAL SCLEROSIS.**

5 Section 1112(a) is amended by inserting after para-
6 graph (5) the following new paragraph:

1 “(6) amyotrophic lateral sclerosis developing a
2 10 percent degree of disability or more at any
3 time;”.

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